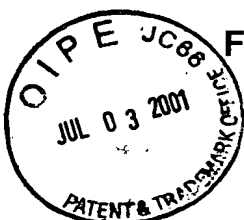


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Title: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING CERAMIC HONEYCOMB STRUCTURE AND DEVICE FOR FORI  
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2B. ☐ The original application as filed in the PTO on the above filing date is the application which each inventor executed by signing the attached Rule 63 Declaration.

☐ Specification originally filed in non-English language; hence verified translation attached of:

a. ☐ Abstract

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4. ☐ Letter filing formal drawing attached.

5. ☒ Attached is an assignment and cover sheet. Please return the recorded assignment to the undersigned.

6. DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s):

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7. FOREIGN priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in Japan

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(1) 2000-140213	May 12, 2000	(2) 2000-227490	July 27, 2000
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